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**Final Reflection 3- After viewing everyone's ARP presentations, please discuss the relevance of Action Research to both the student and teacher and their families and how your Action Research Project ties into the Mission Statement of the School of Education. Please post before midnight Class #15 - Final Exam Week.**

Action research, according to Stephen M. Corey, is defined as research undertaken by practitioners so that they may improve their practices. Teachers and administrators use the scientific method to try and solve current educational issues. This would include gathering data, analyzing the findings, as well as implementing the solutions (if possible) to the issue at hand. After viewing everyone’s ARP presentations, I would most certainly say action research is relevant to both the student and teacher and their families.

Action research is relevant to both the student and teacher and their families because its goal is to remediate and improve current educational issues. The student will benefit from action research because the teacher will learn new ways to improve their practices. This, in turn, improves student learning. The families of students whose learning outcomes improve will most definitely be grateful for action research (assuming the families are involved in their child’s academic career).

The mission statement of the School of Education is, “Through collaborative action, teaching, and research, we develop our students’ capacities to create socially just, intellectually vital, aesthetically rich and compassionate communities that value equity and excellence, access and rigor.” My action research project on technology integration and student learning ties into the mission statement of the School of Education because I seek to find out how technology impacts student learning outcomes through collaborative action, teaching, and research.

References:

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